

## Fill in this information to identify your case:

United States Bankruptcy Court for the:

EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

Case number (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter you are filing under:

Chapter 7  
 Chapter 11  
 Chapter 12  
 Chapter 13

 Check if this an amended filing

## Official Form 101

## Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy

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The bankruptcy forms use you and Debtor 1 to refer to a debtor filing alone. A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*—and in joint cases, these forms use you to ask for information from both debtors. For example, if a form asks, “Do you own a car,” the answer would be yes if either debtor owns a car. When information is needed about the spouses separately, the form uses *Debtor 1* and *Debtor 2* to distinguish between them. In joint cases, one of the spouses must report information as *Debtor 1* and the other as *Debtor 2*. The same person must be *Debtor 1* in all of the forms.

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

## Part 1: Identify Yourself

## About Debtor 1:

## 1. Your full name

Write the name that is on your government-issued picture identification (for example, your driver's license or passport).

Leunora  
 First name \_\_\_\_\_

Middle name \_\_\_\_\_

Bring your picture identification to your meeting with the trustee.

Rinderman  
 Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III) \_\_\_\_\_

## About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

First name \_\_\_\_\_

Middle name \_\_\_\_\_

Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III) \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. All other names you have used in the last 8 years

Include your married or maiden names.

## 3. Only the last 4 digits of your Social Security number or federal Individual Taxpayer Identification number (ITIN)

xxxx-xx-5987

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**About Debtor 1:****4. Any business names and Employer Identification Numbers (EIN) you have used in the last 8 years** I have not used any business name or EINs.Include trade names and *doing business as* names

Business name(s)

EINs

**About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):** I have not used any business name or EINs.

Business name(s)

EINs

**5. Where you live**6 Adlers Lane  
Staten Island, NY 10307  
Number, Street, City, State & ZIP CodeRichmond  
County**If your mailing address is different from the one above, fill it in here.** Note that the court will send any notices to you at this mailing address.

Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State &amp; ZIP Code

**If Debtor 2 lives at a different address:**

Number, Street, City, State &amp; ZIP Code

County

**If Debtor 2's mailing address is different from yours, fill it in here.** Note that the court will send any notices to this mailing address.

Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State &amp; ZIP Code

**6. Why you are choosing this district to file for bankruptcy****Check one:**

Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.

I have another reason.  
Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)

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**Part 2: Tell the Court About Your Bankruptcy Case**

7. The chapter of the Bankruptcy Code you are choosing to file under *Check one. (For a brief description of each, see Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)). Also, go to the top of page 1 and check the appropriate box.*

Chapter 7  
 Chapter 11  
 Chapter 12  
 Chapter 13

8. How you will pay the fee  **I will pay the entire fee when I file my petition.** Please check with the clerk's office in your local court for more details about how you may pay. Typically, if you are paying the fee yourself, you may pay with cash, cashier's check, or money order. If your attorney is submitting your payment on your behalf, your attorney may pay with a credit card or check with a pre-printed address.  
 **I need to pay the fee in installments.** If you choose this option, sign and attach the *Application for Individuals to Pay The Filing Fee in Installments* (Official Form 103A).  
 **I request that my fee be waived** (You may request this option only if you are filing for Chapter 7. By law, a judge may, but is not required to, waive your fee, and may do so only if your income is less than 150% of the official poverty line that applies to your family size and you are unable to pay the fee in installments). If you choose this option, you must fill out the *Application to Have the Chapter 7 Filing Fee Waived* (Official Form 103B) and file it with your petition.

9. Have you filed for bankruptcy within the last 8 years?  No.  
 Yes.  
 District Eastern District of New York (Brooklyn) When 5/16/17 Case number 1-17-42443-cec  
 District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number \_\_\_\_\_  
 District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number \_\_\_\_\_

10. Are any bankruptcy cases pending or being filed by a spouse who is not filing this case with you, or by a business partner, or by an affiliate?  No  
 Yes.  
 Debtor \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_  
 District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number, if known \_\_\_\_\_  
 Debtor \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you \_\_\_\_\_  
 District \_\_\_\_\_ When \_\_\_\_\_ Case number, if known \_\_\_\_\_

11. Do you rent your residence?  No. Go to line 12.  
 Yes. Has your landlord obtained an eviction judgment against you?  
 No. Go to line 12.  
 Yes. Fill out *Initial Statement About an Eviction Judgment Against You* (Form 101A) and file it as part of this bankruptcy petition.

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**Part 3: Report About Any Businesses You Own as a Sole Proprietor****12. Are you a sole proprietor of any full- or part-time business?** No. Go to Part 4. Yes. Name and location of business

A sole proprietorship is a business you operate as an individual, and is not a separate legal entity such as a corporation, partnership, or LLC.

If you have more than one sole proprietorship, use a separate sheet and attach it to this petition.

Name of business, if any \_\_\_\_\_

Number, Street, City, State &amp; ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

*Check the appropriate box to describe your business:*

Health Care Business (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))  
 Single Asset Real Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))  
 Stockbroker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))  
 Commodity Broker (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))  
 None of the above

**13. Are you filing under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and are you a *small business debtor*?**

For a definition of *small business debtor*, see 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).

*If you are filing under Chapter 11, the court must know whether you are a small business debtor so that it can set appropriate deadlines.* If you indicate that you are a small business debtor, you must attach your most recent balance sheet, statement of operations, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure in 11 U.S.C. 1116(1)(B).

 No. I am not filing under Chapter 11. No. I am filing under Chapter 11, but I am NOT a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code. Yes. I am filing under Chapter 11 and I am a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code.**Part 4: Report if You Own or Have Any Hazardous Property or Any Property That Needs Immediate Attention****14. Do you own or have any property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to public health or safety? Or do you own any property that needs immediate attention?**

*For example, do you own perishable goods, or livestock that must be fed, or a building that needs urgent repairs?*

 No. Yes.

What is the hazard? \_\_\_\_\_

If immediate attention is needed, why is it needed? \_\_\_\_\_

Where is the property? \_\_\_\_\_

Number, Street, City, State &amp; Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

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## Part 5: Explain Your Efforts to Receive a Briefing About Credit Counseling

## 15. Tell the court whether you have received a briefing about credit counseling.

The law requires that you receive a briefing about credit counseling before you file for bankruptcy. You must truthfully check one of the following choices. If you cannot do so, you are not eligible to file.

If you file anyway, the court can dismiss your case, you will lose whatever filing fee you paid, and your creditors can begin collection activities again.

## About Debtor 1:

You must check one:

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have a certificate of completion.

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and payment plan, if any.

I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.

To ask for a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement, attach a separate sheet explaining what efforts you made to obtain the briefing, why you were unable to obtain it before you filed for bankruptcy, and what exigent circumstances required you to file this case.

Your case may be dismissed if the court is dissatisfied with your reasons for not receiving a briefing before you filed for bankruptcy. If the court is satisfied with your reasons, you must still receive a briefing within 30 days after you file. You must file a certificate from the approved agency, along with a copy of the payment plan you developed, if any. If you do not do so, your case may be dismissed.

Any extension of the 30-day deadline is granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days.

I am not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling because of:

**Incapacity.**

I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable of realizing or making rational decisions about finances.

**Disability.**

My physical disability causes me to be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after I reasonably tried to do so.

**Active duty.**

I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver credit counseling with the court.

## About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

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## Part 6: Answer These Questions for Reporting Purposes

16. What kind of debts do you have?	16a. <b>Are your debts primarily consumer debts?</b> Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as “incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose.”		
	<input type="checkbox"/> No. Go to line 16b.		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes. Go to line 17.		
16b. <b>Are your debts primarily business debts?</b> Business debts are debts that you incurred to obtain money for a business or investment or through the operation of the business or investment.			
	<input type="checkbox"/> No. Go to line 16c.		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes. Go to line 17.		
16c. State the type of debts you owe that are not consumer debts or business debts			
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17. Are you filing under Chapter 7?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No. I am not filing under Chapter 7. Go to line 18.		
<b>Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses are paid that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes. I am filing under Chapter 7. Do you estimate that after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses are paid that funds will be available to distribute to unsecured creditors?		
	<input type="checkbox"/> No		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		
18. How many Creditors do you estimate that you owe?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1-49 <input type="checkbox"/> 50-99 <input type="checkbox"/> 100-199 <input type="checkbox"/> 200-999	<input type="checkbox"/> 1,000-5,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 5,001-10,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 10,001-25,000	<input type="checkbox"/> 25,001-50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> 50,001-100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> More than 100,000
19. How much do you estimate your assets to be worth?	<input type="checkbox"/> \$0 - \$50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001 - \$500,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001 - \$1 million	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001 - \$10 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001 - \$50 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001 - \$100 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001 - \$500 million	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion
20. How much do you estimate your liabilities to be?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$0 - \$50,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,001 - \$100,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,001 - \$500,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$500,001 - \$1 million	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,001 - \$10 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,001 - \$50 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000,001 - \$100 million <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000,001 - \$500 million	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500,000,001 - \$1 billion <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000,000,001 - \$10 billion <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000,000,001 - \$50 billion <input type="checkbox"/> More than \$50 billion

**Part 7: Sign Below**

**For you** I have examined this petition, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided is true and correct.

If I have chosen to file under Chapter 7, I am aware that I may proceed, if eligible, under Chapter 7, 11,12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code. I understand the relief available under each chapter, and I choose to proceed under Chapter 7.

If no attorney represents me and I did not pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help me fill out this document, I have obtained and read the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b).

I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.

I understand making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

/s/ Leunora Rinderman

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Leunora Rinderman  
Signature of Debtor 1

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Signature of Debtor 2

Executed on March 26, 2019  
MM/DD/YYYY

Executed on

Debtor 1 Leunora Rinderman

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**For your attorney, if you are represented by one**

I, the attorney for the debtor(s) named in this petition, declare that I have informed the debtor(s) about eligibility to proceed under Chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each chapter for which the person is eligible. I also certify that I have delivered to the debtor(s) the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) and, in a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, certify that I have no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules filed with the petition is incorrect.

**If you are not represented by an attorney, you do not need to file this page.**

/s/ Steven Amshen  
Signature of Attorney for Debtor

Date March 26, 2019  
MM/DD/YYYY

Steven Amshen 5115795

Printed name

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**United States Bankruptcy Court  
Eastern District of New York**

In re Leunora Rinderman

Debtor(s)

Case No.

Chapter 13

**VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX**

The above named debtor(s) or attorney for the debtor(s) hereby verify that the attached matrix (list of creditors) is true and correct to the best of their knowledge.

Date: March 26, 2019

/s/ Leunora Rinderman

Leunora Rinderman

Signature of Debtor

Date: March 26, 2019

/s/ Steven Amshen

Signature of Attorney

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Credit Collection Serv.  
Attn: Bankruptcy  
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Norwood, MA 02062

Kohls/Capital One  
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Po Box 3120  
Milwaukee, WI 53201

NYC Water Board  
59-17 Junction Blvd  
Elmhurst, NY 11373

Peter T. Roach & Assoc.  
6901 Jericho Turnpike  
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Syosset, NY 11791

Syncb/hdhvac  
C/o Po Box 965036  
Orlando, FL 32896

Target  
Attn: Bankruptcy  
Po Box 9475  
Minneapolis, MN 55440

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Attn: Bankruptcy  
500 Technology Dr  
Ste 550  
Weldon Spring, MO 63304

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.  
1000 Blue Gentian Road  
Saint Paul, MN 55121

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

**STATEMENT PURSUANT TO LOCAL  
BANKRUPTCY RULE 1073-2(b)**

**DEBTOR(S):** Leunora Rinderman

**CASE NO.:** \_\_\_\_\_

Pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rule 1073-2(b), the debtor (*or any other petitioner*) hereby makes the following disclosure concerning Related Cases, to the petitioner's best knowledge, information and belief:

[NOTE: Cases shall be deemed "Related Cases" for purposes of E.D.N.Y. LBR 1073-1 and E.D.N.Y. LBR 1073-2 if the earlier case was pending at any time within eight years before the filing of the new petition, and the debtors in such cases: (i) are the same; (ii) are spouses or ex-spouses; (iii) are affiliates, as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(2); (iv) are general partners in the same partnership; (v) are a partnership and one or more of its general partners; (vi) are partnerships which share one or more common general partners; or (vii) have, or within 180 days of the commencement of either of the Related Cases had, an interest in property that was or is included in the property of another estate under 11 U.S.C. § 541(a).]

NO RELATED CASE IS PENDING OR HAS BEEN PENDING AT ANY TIME.

THE FOLLOWING RELATED CASE(S) IS PENDING OR HAS BEEN PENDING:

1. CASE NO.: 1-17-42443-cec JUDGE: \_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT/DIVISION: Eastern District of New York (Brooklyn)

CASE STILL PENDING (Y/N): N [If closed] Date of closing: \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT STATUS OF RELATED CASE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Discharged/awaiting discharge, confirmed, dismissed, etc.)

MANNER IN WHICH CASES ARE RELATED (*Refer to NOTE above*): Prior Filing 5/16/2017

REAL PROPERTY LISTED IN DEBTOR'S SCHEDULE "A" ("REAL PROPERTY") WHICH WAS ALSO LISTED IN SCHEDULE "A" OF RELATED CASE: \_\_\_\_\_

2. CASE NO.: \_\_\_\_\_ JUDGE: \_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT/DIVISION: \_\_\_\_\_

CASE STILL PENDING (Y/N): \_\_\_\_\_ [If closed] Date of closing: \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT STATUS OF RELATED CASE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Discharged/awaiting discharge, confirmed, dismissed, etc.)

MANNER IN WHICH CASES ARE RELATED (*Refer to NOTE above*): \_\_\_\_\_

REAL PROPERTY LISTED IN DEBTOR'S SCHEDULE "A" ("REAL PROPERTY") WHICH WAS ALSO LISTED IN SCHEDULE "A" OF RELATED CASE: \_\_\_\_\_

3. CASE NO.: \_\_\_\_\_ JUDGE: \_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT/DIVISION: \_\_\_\_\_

CASE STILL PENDING (Y/N): \_\_\_\_\_ [If closed] Date of closing: \_\_\_\_\_

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DISCLOSURE OF RELATED CASES (cont'd)

CURRENT STATUS OF RELATED CASE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Discharged/awaiting discharge, confirmed, dismissed, etc.)

MANNER IN WHICH CASES ARE RELATED (*Refer to NOTE above*): \_\_\_\_\_

REAL PROPERTY LISTED IN DEBTOR'S SCHEDULE "A" ("REAL PROPERTY") WHICH WAS ALSO LISTED IN SCHEDULE "A" OF RELATED CASE: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 109(g), certain individuals who have had prior cases dismissed within the preceding 180 days may not be eligible to be debtors. Such an individual will be required to file a statement in support of his/her eligibility to file.

TO BE COMPLETED BY DEBTOR/PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY, AS APPLICABLE:

I am admitted to practice in the Eastern District of New York (Y/N): Y

CERTIFICATION (to be signed by pro se debtor/petitioner or debtor/petitioner's attorney, as applicable):

I certify under penalty of perjury that the within bankruptcy case is not related to any case now pending or pending at any time, except as indicated elsewhere on this form.

/s/ Steven Amshen

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Signature of Debtor's Attorney

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Signature of Pro Se Debtor/Petitioner

Signature of Pro Se Joint Debtor/Petitioner

Mailing Address of Debtor/Petitioner

City, State, Zip Code

Area Code and Telephone Number

Failure to fully and truthfully provide all information required by the E.D.N.Y. LBR 1073-2 Statement may subject the debtor or any other petitioner and their attorney to appropriate sanctions, including without limitation conversion, the appointment of a trustee or the dismissal of the case with prejudice.

NOTE: Any change in address must be reported to the Court immediately IN WRITING. Dismissal of your petition may otherwise result.